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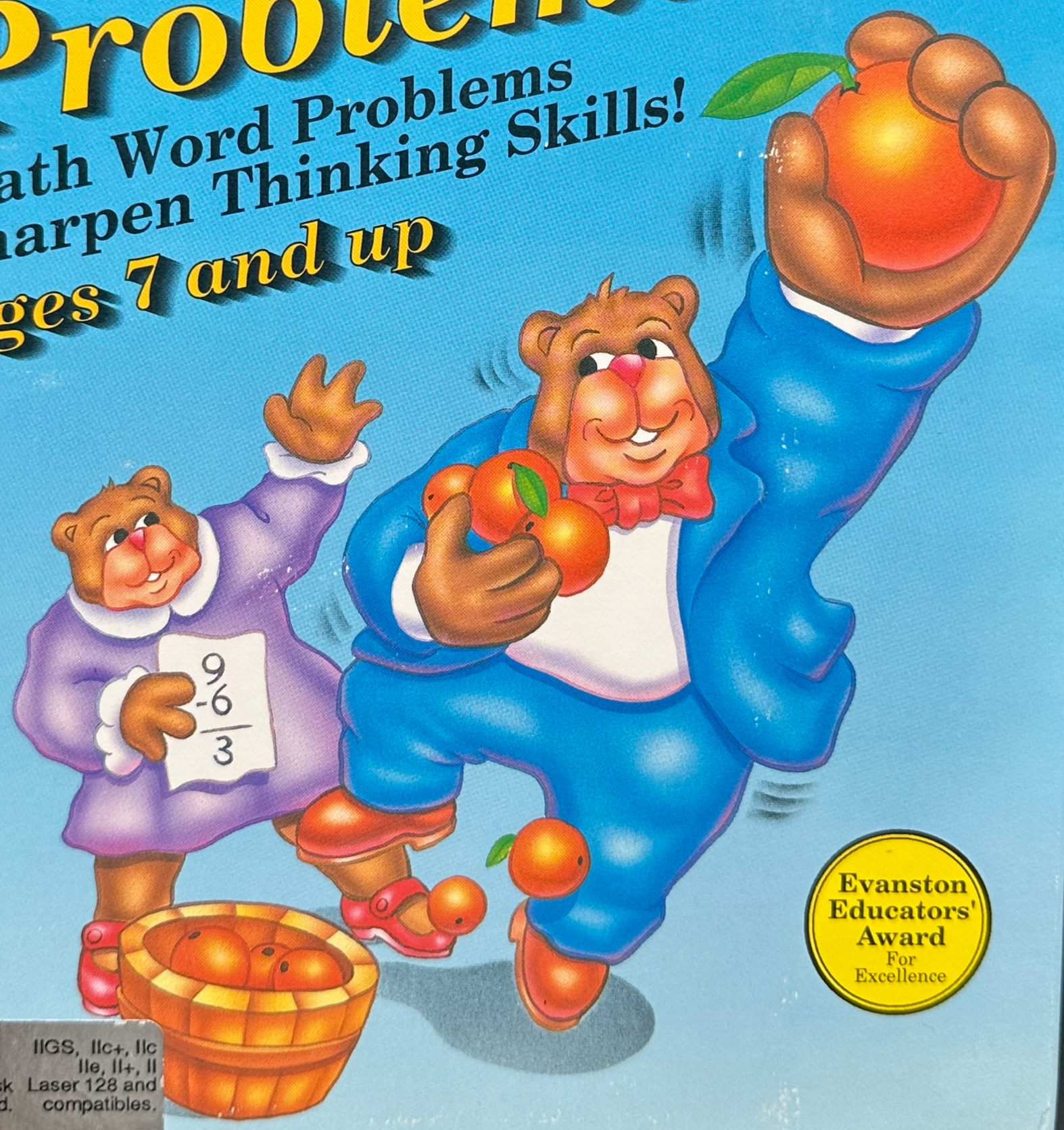

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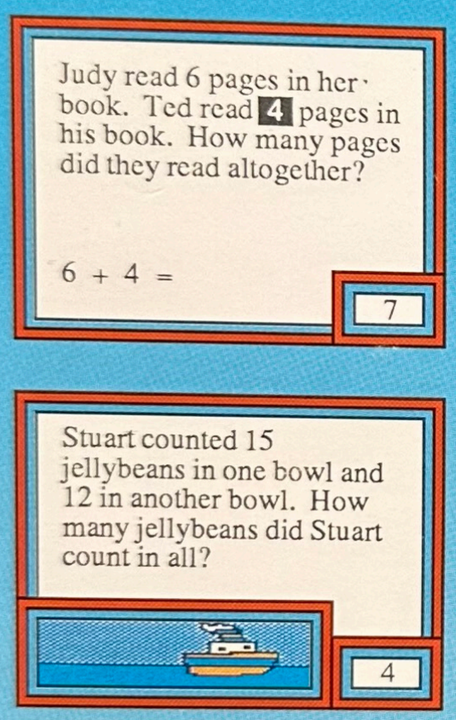

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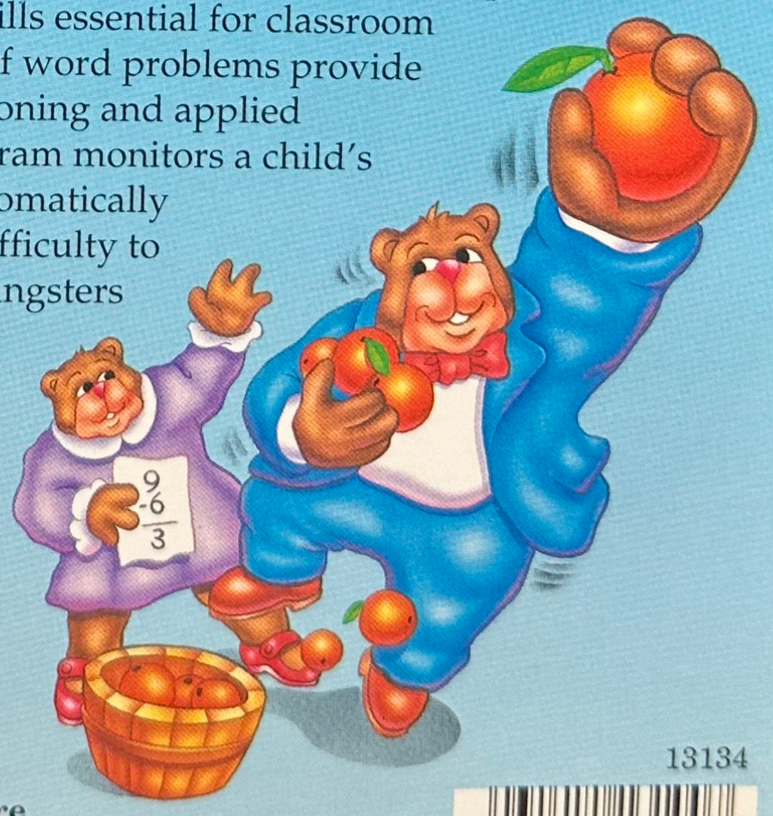

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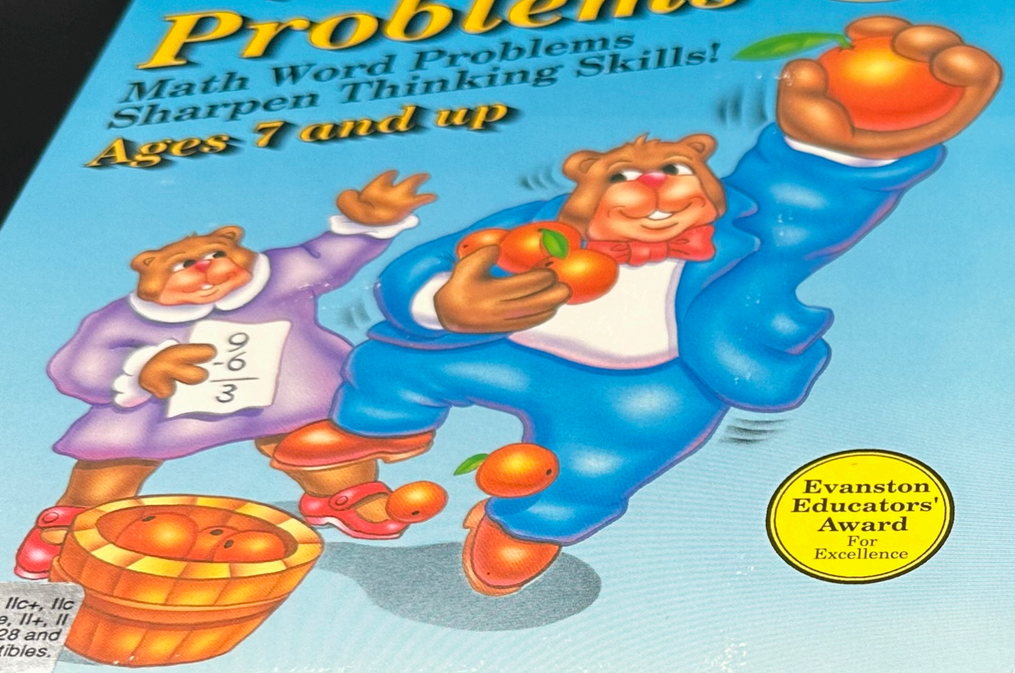

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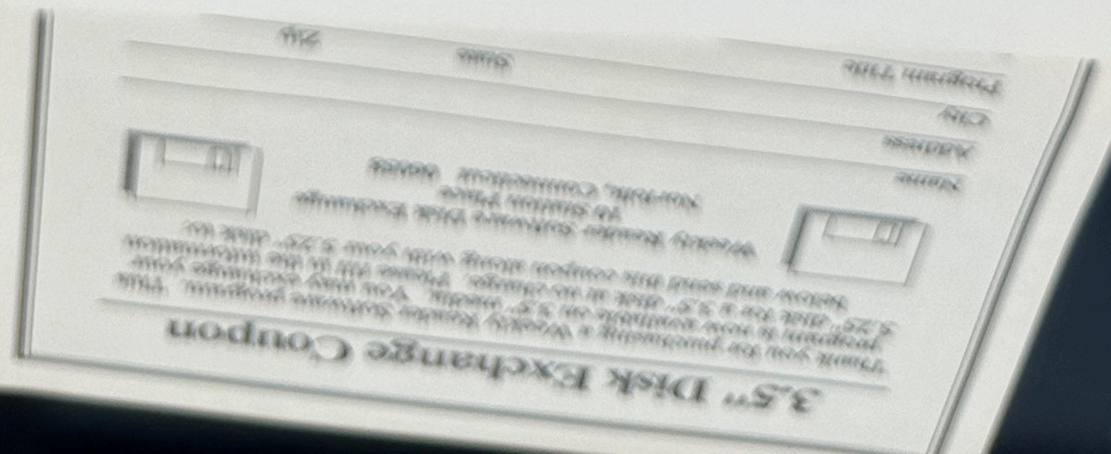

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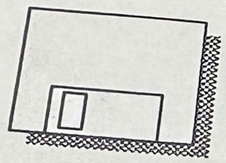

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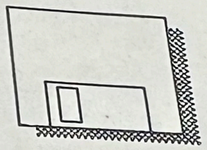

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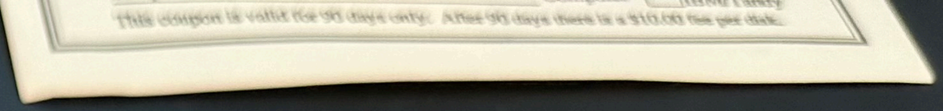

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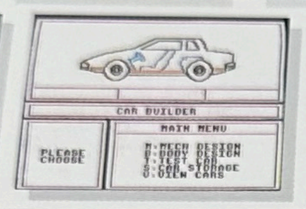

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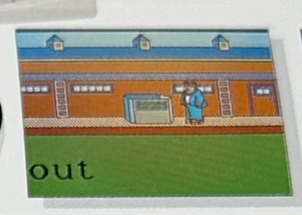

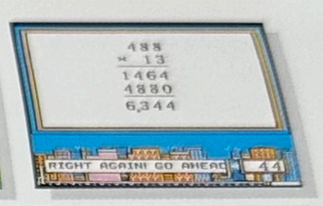

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About Stickybear Word Problems

The ability to understand and solve math problems when they are presented in sentence form is crucial to a student's development.

Stickybear Word Problems provides practice in deductive skills as well as in arithmetic skills, using mathematics adapted to everyday situations. Hundreds of problems with thousands of possible number variables are stored on the disk. In addition, teachers and parents may add their own word problems at any time.

The program adjusts to meet the individual needs of the student. A level adjustment monitor, which the student never sees, constantly checks progress. Adjustments are made automatically. This allows each child to proceed at a comfortable pace, challenged but not frustrated.

Teachers and parents can further tailor the problem to meet each student's needs. The Options section of this guide gives step-by-step directions on how to choose the beginning level.

The program keeps track of the names, levels reached, scores, and types of problems assigned for up to 40 students. Names may be added or dropped at any time. All instructions and answers are entered via the keyboard.

Getting Started

Stickybear Word Problems will run on any Apple, Apple II Plus, Apple //c or Apple //e with at least 48K and a disk drive.

To start, put the program disk into the drive and turn on your Apple. If you have Autostart, you will see the title panel displayed.

If your Apple does not have the Autostart ROM, you will see the monitor cursor *. Type 6, then type P while holding down the key marked Control (6 CTRL P), then press the RETURN key.

The program default which the program will select if you do not change the number, is two tries. Younger students will feel comfortable with more tries. Set the number to 1 for more accomplished math wizards or for a quiz form that will record an accurate per-problem score.

2. Select the starting level of difficulty. Enter a number from 1 to 7 to select the level of difficulty at which the program will begin for a particular student. Remember, *Stickybear Word Problems* will adjust itself as the student solves the problems. See the Table of Levels for a description of the problems presented at each level and the skills involved.

3. Printer. Type Y to allow the student to print the problem. Type N to turn off the printer option.

When you have completed the third choice, you will be shown a review screen. Type the number of any option you wish to revise, or press RETURN to accept the choices as made and return to the welcome panel.

Press the Control key while pressing C (CTRL C) to customize the program for another student.

Report Card

Press the Control key while pressing R (CTRL R) when the welcome panel is on the screen to get the Report Card section. The Report Card enables you to track and store individual assignments and progress reports for up to 39 students (Position 40 is reserved for new and unlisted students). You will see:

Report card option:
Choose:
1. Single child's report card
2. Delete a child's record
3. View options
Press ESC to go back to the start of the program.

Press a number from 1 to 3 to select an option, or ESC to return to the welcome screen.

Option 1 presents a list of the students whose names are stored on the disk and allows you to view the results of the last session for any student. Select the number of the student whose record you wish to review.

The Report Card contains a variety of information.

Report Card for: JANIE		The student's name appears here.
Starting level:	**1**	Level at which the problems began.
Current level:	**2**	Level reached at last session. The current level will be the starting level for the next session.
Problems attempted:	**20**	The number of problems attempted.
Answers correct:	**16**	Correct answers within the number of tries allowed.
Score:	**80%**	Percentage of correct answers.

Note: This information, which describes only the preceding session's results, is updated each time the student works with the program.

Option 2 allows you to delete any records you wish in order to make room on the disk. Enter the name you wish to delete when the list appears.

Option 3 allows you to review and revise the option choices for any name on the list. Select the number of the student whose options you wish to revise. When the Options review screen appears, select the number of the option you wish to change.

Cursor Movement

Stickybear Word Problems presents the cursor at the leftmost position so that the problem may be answered naturally. For example:

4 + 9 =

The student would enter the 1 first and then the 3 for the answer 13.